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COUNTY DADS HAND OUT PAY BONUS

COMMENT

By the Editor

A Good District Attorney

The very apparent effort of certain newspapers in this county to nullify the law-enforcement efforts on the part of our District Attorney will, we think, be understood by those thousands of folks who elected Francis P. Healey to office by the largest majority in history. These papers were bitterly opposed to Healey during the campaign; were badly beaten as a result; and now, as an unsportsmanlike gesture, to say nothing of the more serious charge of obstructing the law are "trying the case in the newspapers" by playing up the opposition side of the case, heaping enconiums of praise on the defense attorneys, on the Sheriff, treating the D. A. with an attempt at silent contempt.

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The Progress has nothing but praise for the able manner in which Attorney Leo Marcollo conducted the defense of his clients in the recent bingo case in the J. P.'s court at El Cerrito, not quite so much praise for his associate counsel, the dynamic Wilbur Pierce, of Oakland, whose undignified cross-examination procedure seems to consist, mainly, of an uncalled for repetition of the word "guts" and continued slighting references to the Diety.

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As for Sheriff Miller, we like John, who doesn't? But, in all common sense, the attitude of these certain papers treating the Sheriff as a hero and making the D.A. a villain is not doing Sheriff Miller much good among the people who really think. After all, it is the Sheriff's job to enforce the law; the District Attorney's job to prosecute the case. This alleged idea that the D. A. instigates the raids and forces the Sheriff to make them, seems to be a distinctly Contra Costa bugaboo—an idea that does not fit in with our personal conception of Sheriff John Miller

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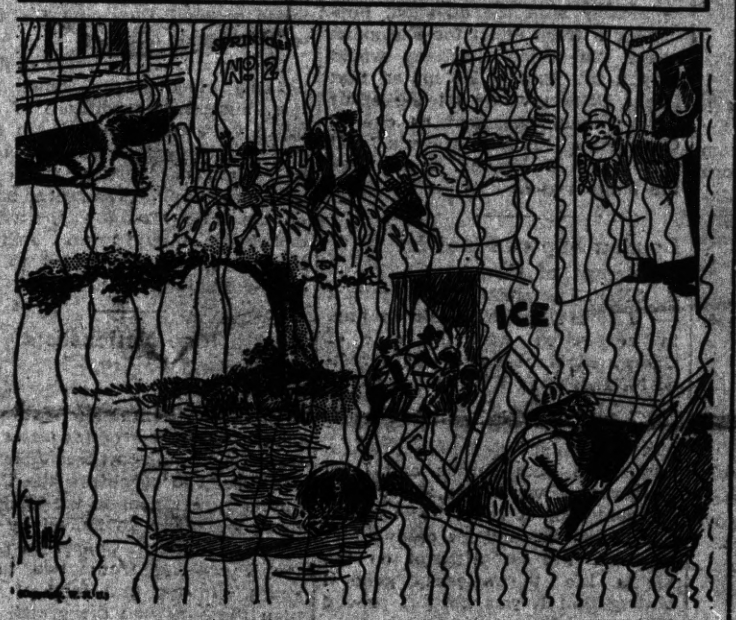
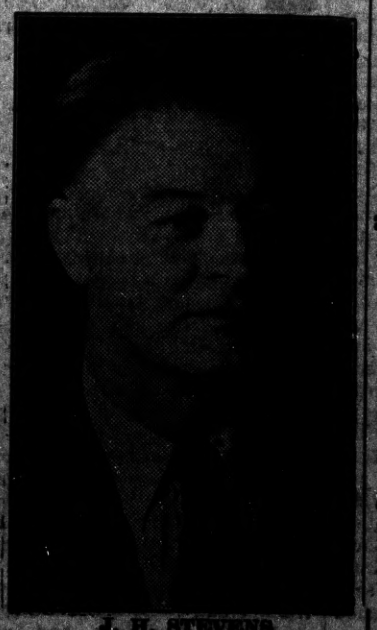


STEVENS IS MAKING A STRONG BID FOR DEMOCRAT NOMINATION FOR STATE SENATE

With a background of experience that has ranged from the farm upon which he got his start in life to the problems of labor and industry to which he has devoted his time in later years, J.H. Stevens of Selby has launched an active campaign for state senator from Contra Costa County where he is receiving sound support from many elements in the county life.

Early Life

Mr. Stevens was born in the state of Texas, but was taken as a



J. H. STEVENS
Candidate for State Senator

FLASH! —FLASH! —FLASH!!! THREE STAR FINAL!!!!!

The evening newspaper just arrived with the gladsome tidings, banner headlines that "COUNTY TAX CUT FORECAST." Imagine our surprise, and dismay, to learn that the "cut" of one-cent is on the Auditor's ESTIMATE not on the RATE which is to be $1.23 this year, last year it was $1.12! If you studied the same arithmetic I did, that's a raise in taxes,not a "cut."

In other words, if this is a game of estimating high and then announcing a "tax cut" on the estimate—why not estimate it 2 or 3 dollars too high, and then make a real sho'-nuff "cut?"

"Who's looney now?"

P. G. & E. COMPANY'S 50-YEAR FRANCHISE IS UP TO CITY COUNCIL; PASSES 1st READING

If you want our private opinion to be expressed publicly, what the Richmond city council needs is a good horse-trader on the board.

Never in all my reportorial experience, sitting on the lee side of the council have I seen more alacrity in moving and seconding, and I have see a lot of it—mind you—than on the last Monday night's meeting.

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BY UNANIMOUS VOTE GIVE ALL HANDS A RAISE

Everybody Is Satisfied Except the Poor Taxpayers

Well, our supervisors have demonstrated that they are no pikers—when it comes to handing out the taxpayer's money. Latest beneficence is the doling out, to the "official family," those at the public feed trough, of an extra bale of hay and a portion of oats apiece—the "hay" being salary raise; the "oats" representing extra, if useless, expense account increases. The Board of Supervisors didn't make any enemies among the hired help when they jacked up the ante—in fact the supervisors, themselves, are going around patting each other on the back, and everybody is well satisfied except forty or fifty thousand over-burdened taypayers, who have had about all they could do to dig down to the bottom of the sock for enough dough to pay the salaries of the boys and girls o nthe old-fashioned, and far-from-starvation, setup.

BY UNANIMOUS VOTE

All the exact information, and that as will be explained later, is somewhat vague on details, though precise of performance—is contained in the legal publication of County Ordinance No. 243, adopted by the unanimous vote of all Supervisors—Buchanan, Trembath, Long, Stow, Cummings. Noes:None. Absent:None. Ayes:All.

GAME OF HIDE AND SAKE

The board specifically required in the ordinance itself that it be published in the Richmond Record-Herald. Inasmuch as these county legals are usually published in Senator Bill Sharkey's Martinez paper, could it be possible that the supervisors felt it would be more properly hidden away in fine print of the Record-Herald?

FUN WITH FUNDS

That circumstance is not the ONLY strange occurence in the matter. When we came to investigate the small print of the legal notice we found buried in the document this singular and sinister phrase: "one half of which latter (salary boost) shall be taken from the salary fund and one-half of which shall be taken from the road fund —!— of said (Contra Costa)." Can you beat that? Gee, if they could handle all of it that way, then the boys and girls could have had an even larger raise and yet a decrease shown for the undisturbed "salary fund." To realize how momentous this is: one must remember that, for years, our spendthrift legislators at Sacramento, have unsuccessfully tried to divert our road funds over into school, building, health, and other "funds," all to no avail. Now, we find how simple it is to shift the funds around.

ANSWER TO A PROBLEM

Our supervisors in their great knowledge and generosity have outdistanced the legislator spenders in the first heat by showing them the way to do it (namely, to print the ordinance in minute, almost readable, type hidden away in a newspaper of much less than world-wide circulation.

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Review of the History-Making Events of the World

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

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Olympic Games Formally Opened in Berlin

WITH spectacular ceremony the Olympic Games were officially opened in Berlin when a graceful runner bearing the Olympic flame that had been started from Greece dashed into the stadium, lowered the silver torch before Reichsfuehrer Hitler and kindled the sacred fire in a great cresset. Then came the formal parade of the athletes of fifty nations, nattily uniformed and marching with precision while guns boomed and bands blared. Some of the foreign groups gave the Hitler salute as they passed by the chancellor. Others did not. Among the latter were the Americans, who placed their straw hats on their left breasts and marched by with eyes right. Nor was the American flag dipped before the fuehrer, the explanation being that this was done only before the President. The American contingent was greeted by an outburst of whistling which the knowing declared meant "the raspberry." But on the whole the affair was decidedly successful.

Adolf Hitler

In the first day's contests the United States started things with a rush. Jesse Owens, Ohio State's colored star, broke the Olympic and world records in winning his heat in the 100-meter dash; and Johnson, who is from California, set a new Olympic record of 2.03 meters. In some other events the Americans did well, and in yet others they were eliminated.

In the 100 meter finals Owens won and Metcalfe of Chicago was second.

Helen Stephens of Missouri, in winning two heats of the women's 100 meter event, broke the world record both times.

By a vote of 36 to 27 Tokyo won the Olympic games for 1940, Finland being the losing bidder. The Americans, South America and the British empire were virtually solid for Japan, which offered a transportation subsidy of about $485,000 to offset costs of traveling in the Far East. The Finns urged that the games be returned to a Spartan simplicity.

New Locarno Pact May Give Europe Security

WHILE the nations of Europe were worrying over the Spanish rebellion and the danger that it might bring about open rupture among the Fascist and anti-Fascist governments of the continent, steps were taken to assure peace. Germany and Italy accepted the invitation of Great Britain, France and Belgium to participate in a conference this fall from which it is hoped another and better Locarno pact will emerge.

No date for the conference has been set, but it was expected to be held either just before or soon after the meeting of the league of nations assembly in Geneva in September.

Both Germany and Italy stressed the need that it be preceded by careful diplomatic negotiations.

Britain's parliament adjourned after hearing a government assertion that the prospective Locarno talks would ease the tense European situation.

Lewis and Allies Absent When A. F. of L. Council Meets

JOHN L. LEWIS, head of the United Mine Workers, and his 11 associates on the Committee for Industrial Organization, made good their promise not to be present when the executive council of the American Federation of Labor met to try them on charges of "insurrection." The council members were plainly angered by this defiance and it was predicted they would proceed to find the defendants guilty "in absentia" and to suspend the unions in the Lewis group. This would be the greatest split in the ranks of American organized labor since the federation was formed fifty years ago. It would mean the loss of about one-third of the federation's membership.

Previous to the meeting of the council President William Green in an impassioned speech accused Lewis and his followers of substituting "jungle law" for democracy in their efforts to organize the steel industry. He said he was prepared to make any personal sacrifice, even to resigning his office, to bring about peace and "bind up the wounds."

As for the oft-repeated charge of the CIO unions that the A. F. of L. leadership had failed to organize the unorganized, Green asserted that you couldn't "move human beings like sacks of salt or pounds of sugar."

Col. Roosevelt Willing to Run for Governor

NEW YORK Republicans are to nominate a candidate for governor at their party convention in September, and Col. Theodore Roosevelt has said in a letter that was made public that he is willing to accept that honor if the party so desires.

Col. Roosevelt

Colonel Roosevelt, now forty-eight years old, was the Republican candidate for governor in 1924 and was defeated by Alfred E. Smith. Since then he has been governor of Puerto Rico and governor-general of the Philippines.

Government Crop Report Shows Drouth Damage

THE WEEKLY crop report and weather summary of the Department of Agriculture revealed that the drouth and high temperature were playing havoc with the corn crop in most of the leading producing states. In some sections there will not even be fodder and over a much larger area no grain will be obtained this year. There were good rains, however, in parts of the central and eastern areas and improvement was noted there in both corn and pasturage.

The present drouth in Iowa, the department said, has caused greater damage to corn than that of 1934. The summary reported almost complete destruction of the crop in two southern and two western tiers of counties, with serious damage in some other sections.

Threshing of winter wheat revealed expected yields, the report said, but spring wheat conditions were termed disappointing.

Mishaps Befall Two American Senators

SENATOR VIC DONAHEY of Ohio, while fishing in Chesapeake bay, was struck by lightning, and painfully but not dangerously injured. The bolt hit and split the mast of his launch, ran along the rail and burned the senator's hands badly.

Another senator, Robert Reynolds of North Carolina, was among a group of tourists who were robbed by bandits near Taxco, Mexico. The victims lost their money, watches and jewelry but were not otherwise abused.

Smaller Scale Projects in New PWA Program

EMPHASIS is placed on smaller scale projects to be completed speedily, in the third building program of the public works administration, which was opened by the allotment of $22,742,034 by President Roosevelt. It includes 352 projects in 37 states, and the largest of these is a courthouse for New York city to cost the government $4,835,000. The average allotment is only $64,323.

Secretary Ickes, PWA administrator, said that, in addition to 45 per cent donation, PWA will lend $2,142,000 to help communities defray their 55 per cent share of the cost. President Roosevelt has ordered that all projects "be commenced by October 1, 1936, reach a peak by the end of the year and be completed by October 1, 1937."

Re-Arming of Helgoland Admitted by Germans

UNOFFICIALLY, Germany admits that she is re-fortifying Helgoland, the Gibraltar of the North sea which was demilitarized by the treaty of Versailles. The report that the Nazis were taking this action was brought up in the English house of commons and Foreign Secretary Eden said the government did not intend to deal separately with the question, hoping for a fresh effort for European peace "in which Germany would play a full part." He hinted that Great Britain would let the affair pass without comment as one of Germany's "minor affronts." It was believed France would take the same stand.

London Papers Fined for Contempt of Court

LONDON newspapers were taught a severe lesson in fair dealing, in connection with the case of George McMahon who was arrested for menacing King Edward with a revolver recently. The Daily Express and the Evening News editors and their respective proprietors, Lord Beaverbrook and Lord Rothermere, were fined $2,500 each for contempt of court because the papers printed articles calling McMahon's act an attempt on the king's life, the attorney general stating that it was not yet proved to be an attempted assassination. A movie distributing agency was fined $250 on the same charge.

Zioncheck Does Not Seek Re-election to Congress

HEREAFTER Washington will have to get along without the excitement provided by the antics of Marion A. Zioncheck of Seattle, Wash. That eccentric—to put it mildly—gentleman has announced that he is not a candidate for re-election, because of his mother's ill health, and says he wants to be America's forgotten man. Zioncheck has settled down to private law practice.

Progress of Revolution in Spanish Republic

GEN. FRANCISCO FRANCO'S rebel forces in Spain, according to late reports, were pressing the government troops seriously and winning some bloody encounters. This despite the claims of Madrid that the Fascists had been checked. The rebel columns advancing on the capital from the south were reported to be threatening communications between Madrid and the eastern seacoast at Valencia and Alicante, chief sources of the government's food supplies. Leaders of the insurgents claimed they held Huelva, important seaport, and all the territory between Seville and the Portuguese border. The loyalists directed a strong attack on Saragossa but advices from the front reaching Perpignan, France, said their three columns were ambushed by the rebels in a narrow canyon and lost perhaps 2,000 killed. General Caballero commanded the insurgents in that action.

Gen. Franco

General Franco has been quoted as saying the revolution, when successful, will result in a military dictatorship for the time being.

The government, now a red dictatorship, has taken possession of all church property and assumed control of all industry and agriculture. It also has confiscated the merchant marine to form a defense fleet. The loyalists were encouraged by victories in and around San Sabastian.

Fascist Italy has been accused of aiding the Spanish rebels, and it is asserted a number of Italian bombing planes were sent to them in Morocco. The leftist French government naturally is in sympathy with the Madrid government and Frenchmen, unarmed, have been given permission to cross the border to aid in putting down the rebellion. German and Russian sympathies, also, are ranged on opposite sides, and all this caused fears that a general war might result. France called on all other nations to preserve neutrality, and Spain warned Italy and Germany to keep hands off.

Day by day the struggle in Spain became bloodier and more ruthless. Summary executions of prisoners were common on both sides and these deaths were probably as numerous as those in battle. The government planes showered bombs on the rebel strongholds, virtually destroying many towns; and the Fascist bombers engaged in desperate fights with loyal warships.

Puerto Rico Nationalists Are Found Guilty

PEDRO ALBIZU CAMPOS, leader of the Puerto Rico Nationalist party, and seven of his associates were found guilty at San Juan of a conspiracy to overthrow the United States government in the island by force and were sentenced by Federal Judge R. A. Cooper to prison terms ranging from two to six years. In the first trial of these men the jury had disagreed. The defense attorneys gave notice of appeal.

The case originated in a clash between Nationalists and police last October in which several persons were slain. Following this, Col. E. Francis Riggs, chief of insular police, was murdered, presumably in revenge for the killing of Nationalists in the October fight.

Louis Bleriot, Famous Aviation Pioneer, Dies

LOUIS BLERIOT of France, one of the pioneers and early heroes of aviation, died in Paris of a heart attack at the age of sixty-four. He it was who startled the world in 1909 by first flying across the English channel, a feat as daring then as was the solo flight of Lindbergh across the Atlantic ocean in 1927. Bleriot was an engineer and invented the automobile searchlight.

President Roosevelt's Vacation Is Ended

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT ended his 437 mile cruise when his yacht docked at Campobello island, New Brunswick, where he has a summer home.

Mr. Roosevelt remained at Campobello only two days and then took a special train to Quebec, where he visited with Lord Tweedsmuir, governor general of Canada.

Immediately after this meeting, Mr. Roosevelt took train for his summer residence in Hyde Park, N. Y., and there began mapping the plans for his campaign for re-election. Half a dozen leaders of the Democratic party, including National Chairman James A. Farley, were summoned into conference with their chief. The President also obtained from Secretary Wallace and Chester Davis a report on drouth conditions and relief needs.

Frank Knox Notified of His Nomination

FACING an enthusiastic crowd that completely filled the big Chicago stadium, Col. Frank Knox received from Senator Steiwer of Oregon the official notification of his nomination for the vice presidency by the Republican party, National Chairman John Hamilton introduced the senator, who spoke briefly but forcefully and with his customary eloquence. As Colonel Knox stepped forward to deliver his speech of acceptance he was greeted by a roar of applause that continued for many minutes. His fellow citizens were glad to express their gratification for the honor done him, and the thousands from outside Chicago were no less warm in their appreciation of the candidate. In the streets surrounding the stadium was another vast throng of people who were unable to get into the building.

Col. Knox

Unlike Governor Landon, Colonel Knox devoted much of his address to the alleged failure of the Roosevelt administration which, he said, had the most glorious opportunity in the history of the nation but ignored its responsibility, failed in its job and defaulted in its obligations.

"From the day that it took office," he declared, "it embarked on a series of hysterical experiments on the economic life of a burdened people. At a time when universal co-operation was a necessity it initiated a campaign of abuse and vilification of business men. At a time when the credit of the country should have been strengthened it inaugurated a policy of credit adulteration and currency experiment that demoralized foreign trade and frightened domestic finance. It set up a system of regimentation of industry that reduced production and prevented re-employment. By coercion of congress it forced the passage of reform measures so recklessly drawn that they hamstrung the revival of enterprise and paralyzed the renewal of investment. It installed a regimentation of agriculture that destroyed food and reduced foreign markets and increased the cost of living and multiplied the expense of relief.

"At a time when private industry was struggling desperately for a new start it set up governmental enterprise to compete with private business. At a time when the burden of taxation was already hard to bear it embarked on a policy of squandering public funds and increasing the weight of taxes. At a time when united effort and mutual good-will would have completed recovery it promoted sectional hatred and class strife. At a time when returning business confidence was ending depression it began a campaign to terrorize business and subjugate the banks. At a time when confidence in the character of government was vital it established a spoils system. At a time when the economic system was worn and emaciated it performed major surgical operations upon the industrial body to see what was inside. It adopted an economic philosophy of scarcity and forced it upon a hungry and distressed people. . . .

"No one can define the New Deal or even describe it. But we know what it means. It means federal control over local business, over local bank credit, over local wages, over local conditions of work. It leads to federal regimentation of the labor, the business, and the home of every American citizen. It leads to price-fixing and production control by federal authority. It leads inevitably to the extinction of the small business man, to the end of free enterprise in America."

SOCIETY NEWS ✦ CLUBS ✦ LODGES

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Women of the Moose

Women of the Moose met in Woodmen's Hall, Edna Mason, the senior regent presiding. Balloting on several candidates. The Chapter's birthday was celebrated and visitors were present from Oakland, Martinez. Herbert Onzerth Past Dictator of Oakland Lodge, gave a splendid talk on Mooseheart and the Moose Home.

Dorothy Hall Graduates

The many friends of Miss Dorothy Hall, 21 Idaho Street, will be pleased to learn that she has just graduated from the Dolores Premier School of Beauty Culture in Oakland and is now a full-fledged cosmetologist. Our congratulations, Miss Dorothy.

Dingles Return Home

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Dingle and daughter Ruth have returned from a visit with relatives in Montana. On their way home they atended the Shrine convention in Seattle. Mr. Dingle is a member of the Shrine Band of the East Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur S. Whiteside have returned after a three week's vacation spent at Donner Lake and at San Fernando.

Judge Bray Speaks at Point Lodge

Introduced by Walter Paasch, prominent Point Richmond citizen, the popular and capable Judge A. F. Bray, delivered the addresms of the evening to a large throng. Worshipful Master of Point Lodge is Dr. C. M. Nielsen.

HAROLD SAWALLISCH GETS BROTHERHOOD ENDORSEM'T

Harold Sawallisch, actively campaiging for the office of assemblyman, is receiving the congratulations of his friends, after having received the very powerful endorsement of the Railroad Brotherhoods. It came from headquarters in San Francisco and was siged by each of the executives of these five official railroad unions.

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FRANCHISE

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Occasion was the passing of the gas and electric franchises for the next 50 years for this city, and all of the city dads nearly broke a leg trying to move or second or vote on a proposition where it seemed there was only one bidder—the P. G. & E.—no chance to make an enemy

All we have to say is that if one of those council members had been a horse-trader there would probably have BEEN another bidder—the City of Richmond, to purcahse the juice and distribute its own light and power, as do many other progressive California towns—some of which, we understand, practically eliminate their taxes by doing so. Oh, well, what's the use?

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CANDIDATE

RALPH H. WIGHT
Candidate for Superior Judge

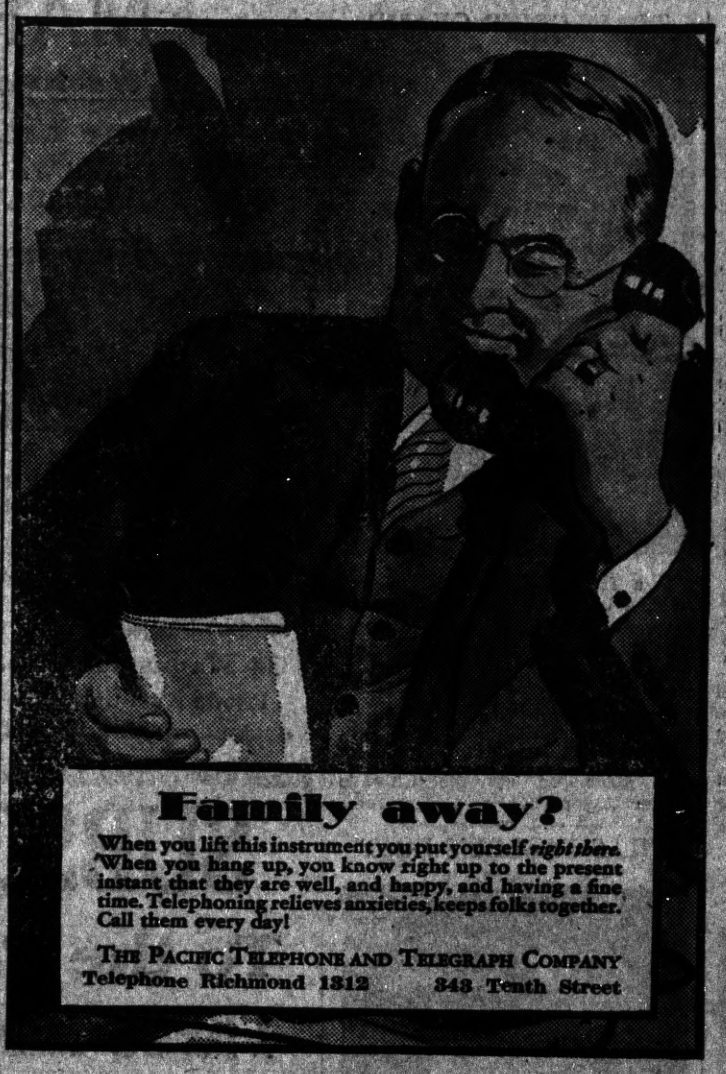
Ralph H. Wight, candidate for Superior Court Judge, at the primary August 25th, was born on a ranch west of Pittsburg, Contra Costa County, in 1887. He was educated in Contra Costa County schools and at the University of California.

For twenty-five years he has practised law with offices at Martinez. His practice has extended before courts of twenty-five of the counties of California. He holds the reputation among clients of settling matters out of court. Mr. Wight is now City Attorney of Martinez, attorney for Mt. View Sanitary District, and has previously served as City Attorney of Concord for several years. He numbers among his clients many men and women for whom he ha sacted as attorney for over twenty years.

Active in all civic matters, he is now serving as Chairman of Martinez Boy Scouts; President, Martinez Exchange Club, and has served continuously as Chairman of Martinez Red Cross Chapter for the past thirteen years. He has given of his time freely to all of these and other civic organizations unselfishly for many years. His work in these organizations has given him a background of tolerant respect for the other fellow's point of view.

Although always an active citizen, Mr. Wight has remained INDEPENDENT OF POLITICAL MACHINE Control or Affiliation.

VOTE FOR WIGHT FOR JUDGE



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51-Foot Yawl Wins Honolulu Race

"You're first to finish!" James Wilder, judge, tells James Flood (left) owner of the 51-foot yawl Dorade, at the end of the longest yacht race in America—2,225 miles from California to Honolulu. Hawaiian leis cover Flood's tanned shoulders. The Dorade made the trip in 13 days, 7 hours, 20 minutes, 4 seconds elapsed time, being just 14 minutes ahead of the next arrival.

GIVES ALL TO CHARITY

In a momentous decision based on "divine inspiration," Elsie Janis, one-time popular stage star and "sweetheart of the A. E. F." during the World war, has disclosed plans to dispose of her worldly possessions and to devote the proceeds and her life to local charities.

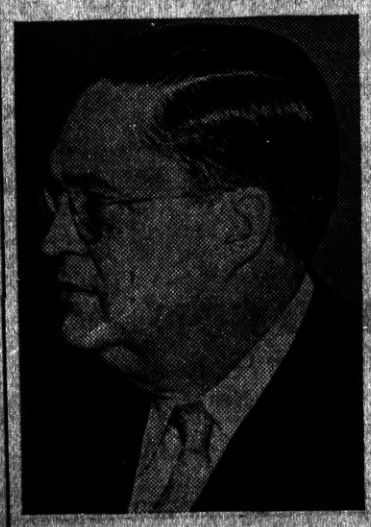
HELD BY NAZI

Arrested in Hamburg more than a year ago on a charge of possessing anti-Nazi documents, Lawrence Simpson, seaman on the U. S. S. Manhattan, has been placed on trial by a secret Nazi court. The charge, however, has been changed to that of "illegal export of money."

TRAIN CRIER CHAMP

In a Train Criers contest in connection with Railroad week in Chicago recently, J. A. Berti, an employee of the Milwaukee railroad, was adjudged the "Caruso" of all train callers. He is shown here trying out a few more calls shortly after he had been presented with the championship cup. The contest was sponsored by the Chicago Junior Association of Commerce.

FILLS FARLEY'S POST



William W. Howes, who is acting postmaster general during the leave of absence of Postmaster General James A. Farley, who is directing the Democratic party's campaign to re-elect President Roosevelt. Mr. Howes' regular post is first assistant postmaster general.

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DONALD BILL IS TAKEN BY DEATH

Gloom settled over the Bonecrushers this week at the loss of one of their star players, the late Donald Thomas Bill, who passed away at a local hospital Wednesday morning after an illness of a week's duration.

Born in Richmond 13 years ago was a popular pupil at Roosevelt Junior High school where he was a pupil in the eighth grade. He was a member of the Sons of the American Legion.

Requiem high mass was celebrated this morning at Our Lady of Mercy Catholic Church where Donald was a member. Pallbearers included Sons of the American Legion and Washington Bonecrushers. Active pallbearers were Rudolph Stark, Kenneth Koht. Jr. Andrew Cakos. Demetrios Allyn, Allen Smith, Frank Moscrop.

Honorary pallbearers were Nathaniel Allyn, Keith Hinsz, Earl Kelleghan, Merle Myers, Louis Armstrong, Leonard Smith, Peter Stark, Jimmy Kennedy, Donald Johnson, Charles Wake.

Deceased is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bill, a brother, Herbert, a sister, Patricia, his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Waite.

Sons of the American Legion acted as a guard of honor at the funeral home and at Our Lady of Mercy Church. Frank and Thomas Kenny, Jr., were the altar boys.

Retailers Endorse Stevens

The Progress is informed that the following asociations have unreservedy endorsed J. H. Stevens the Democratic candidate for State Senator: Contra Costa Co. Retail Grocers Association; California Retail Hardware Association Allied Automotive Industries of California: California Pharmaceutical Association; California Retal Grocers & Merchants Assn; Northern California Retail Druggists Assn.

(Ed.—If you ask me. it looks like the independent merchants are up in arms about the way the chains have been postponink-action on the tax bill and they now mean business).

READ THE PROGRESS

Mr. and Mrs. Ardell Ciabattari are expected home this week from their extensive trip which has taken over the western United States and Canada.

Father Matthew Smith celebrated te hreieim gqmshsha vbgkqcmfwy celebrated the requiem high mass.

Interment was at St. Joseph's Cemetery following the services. Ryan Funeral Home in charge of the arrangements.

ABOUT JUDGE BRAY

Superior Judge A. F. Bray who has had one year in that office by appointment is making an active campaign among the voters of Contra Costa County for election to the office of Superior Judge for a regular term. At the time Judge Bray accepted the appointment in August 1935 to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge A. B. McKenzie he was recognized as one of the leading attorneys of the county. For 23 years he had been a member of the well known law firm of J. E. Rodgers and A. F. Bray. The name Rodgers and Bray was known in this county and the state as syonomous with a successful legal practice.

It was this high standing of Judge Bray in his chosen profession which made him a popular choice for appointment to the Superior Court. Public opinion throughout Contra Costa County was quick to take favorable notice of the appointment of Judge Bray as Superior Judge. In the year that has succeeded his appointment there has been everything to confirm and nothing to cause criticism of the Governor's office in the appointment of Judge Bray.

Friends of Judge Bray in Contra Costa County who urged him to accept the appointment of Superior Judgt now point out that it is very clear logic to confirm the appointment by electing Judge Bray to a regular term of office.

The result of such election will be to retain in office a man who has given every evidence of an ability which fits him to a marked degree for the responsible positio nof Superior Judge.

Need Only Date Palm

The importance of the date palm to the people of the lands where it is found is better understood when we learn that at one time most of the inhabitants of Fezzan in North Africa, were entirely dependent on this palm for food clothing and shelter for more than nine months of the year.

Natural History

Natural history, today the commonplace knowledge of nearly everybody, was held to be, in the distant past, worse than a hobby, and there is record of an attempt to shut up as a lunatic a titled Englishwoman because she was in the habit of collecting and studying moths and butterflies.

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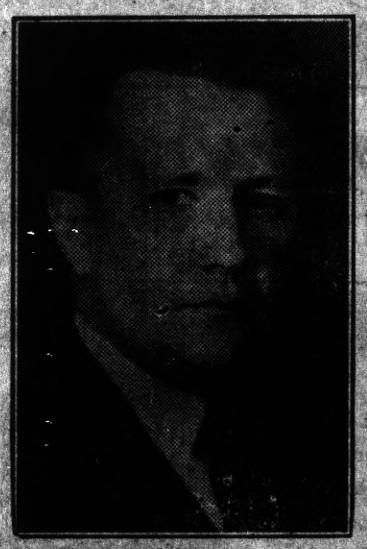

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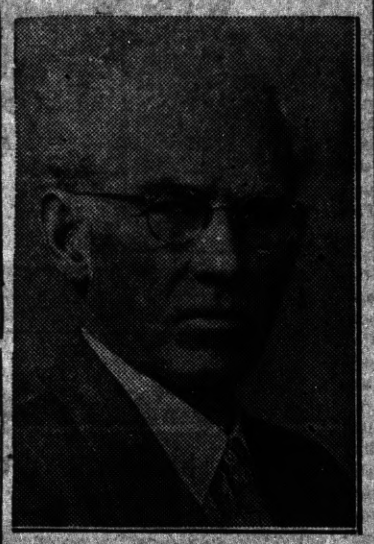

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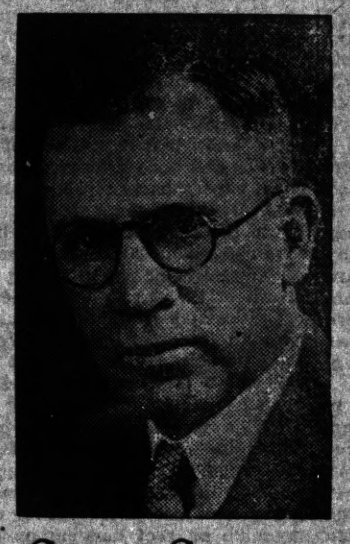

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The Mind Meter

By LOWELL HENDERSON

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The Four-Word Test

In this test there are four words given in each problem. Three of the four in each case bear a definite relationship to one another. Cross out the one word that does not belong in each problem.

1. Holy, sacred, profane, divine.
2. Tall, squat, lofty, high.
3. Lob, double-play, net ball, ace.
4. New Hampshire, Vermont, Boston, Connecticut.
5. Vain, humble, modest, submissive.
6. Shot put, javelin throw, 100-yard dash, discus throw.
7. Hot, stolid, fiery, ardent.
8. Harvard, Princeton, Vassar, Yale.
9. Tallahassee, Sacramento, Chicago, Baton Rouge.
10. Running, swimming, walking, trotting.

Answers

1. Profane.
2. Squat.
3. Double-play.
4. Boston.
5. Vain.
6. 100-yard dash.
7. Stolid.
8. Vassar.
9. Chicago.
10. Swimming.

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Read the Grape Nuts ad in another column of this paper and learn how to join the Dizzy Dean Winners and win valuable free prizes.—Adv.

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Fashion Back to Femininity Trend

By CHERIE NICHOLAS

MANNISHLY tailored to the pink of perfection during the practical hours and for sports? Decidedly so, if you would be smartly in fashion. However, it is an entirely different story which the mode is telling "what to wear" at festive midsummer events that take place midst glamorous settings. Comes then into the style scene as lacy and lovely and sheer costumes-beautiful as ere graced a fashion picture.

The lavish use of nets, laces, organzas, marquisettes, tulles and similar materials of filmy texture and transparency quite exceeds anything of its kind seen for many a year. In the daytime they are tailored and for the night hours and for garden party wear these entrancing sheers are made up as pretty-prettily as genius and imagination can possibly create them.

The trio of dainty costumes in the picture most eloquently carries the message of lovely ladies clad in beguilingly feminine array such as is gracing the midsummer landscape with romance and the picturesque. The first impression one gets from this group, aside from the beauty of the sheer materials, is that of big hats, cunning puff sleeves and hemlines that are generously and gracefully wide. Since first impressions usually ring true, we learn important facts in regard to the correct silhouette for 1936 midsummer garden party and dance frocks.

The winsome dress pictured to the left is of a very fine crossbar net. Style points to note are the fancifully picketed hemline with like-pointed ruffings on the voluminous puffed sleeves, the flower ruche about the throat, also the huge-brimmed hat that is made of the selfsame net (stiffly starched) as the gown. Here also we see the return of the parasol.

Garden party dresses when they are as fanciful and airy as the one to the right in the picture make one think of a fairy-story princess, stepping lightly across her garden. The dress is pure white, in organza most beautifully embroidered to knee-depth about the hemline of the skirt and on the sleeves. The gown is simply cut, its graceful lines taking on an added touch of the exquisite in that a double row of binche lace borders the wide skirt working up into a deep point in the front in combination with the embroidery. The treatment of the puffed sleeves is fittingly quaint.

Lovers of beautiful lace will adore the gown shown centered in foreground. It is one of the loveliest from among most lovely dresses brought over on the maiden voyage of the royal steamship Queen Mary and shown at the display of exclusive British fashion creations recently presented here in America. It adds to its interest to know that it was one of four Reville creations approved for the royal garden party of King Edward VIII at Buckingham palace. The gown is of exquisitely fine lupin-blue cellophane lace. The girdle is of forget-me-nots, matching the crown of the hat in the same color. It would seem next to impossible to imagine anything prettier than this fantasy of lace and flowers which is done all in delicate blues.

In the present back-to-femininity trend, the garden party dress has its important place, especially when in the instances cited in this group it is just as perfect for country club or roof dancing on summer evenings.

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FROSTED JEWELRY LEADS THE VOGUE

By CHERIE NICHOLAS

Summer's newest jewelry is "white and frosty." Rings, bracelets and necklaces that look as icy as a cool drink are being worn at fashionable summer resorts. Crystalline and opaque whites are frequently combined. Crystalline alone adds a glamorous note to costumes in the new smoky pastels, opaque white is good with copper-brown, and with the south-sea batik prints or flowered challis.

Choker necklaces are staging a come-back. Large frosty rings are frequently worn to match. To set off the rings, nails are adopting shades of smoky red polish. Massive couturier rings with multi-colored stones are also smart, and require bright nail lacquer such as robin red or coral to give the hands the proper balance.

For moments when the urge to be feminine has you in its grip, try yielding to the rage for flower jewelry. Fabric flowers, raffia flowers, carved flower motifs, are used—even the real thing straight from the florist. Any flower goes, from daisies to forget-me-nots. Some of the necklaces tie demurely at the back of the neck with a ribbon.

Smiles

Sure to Arrive

"Here, Tommy," said Mrs. Jones to her neighbor's little boy, "run along and put this parcel on the bus."

"Which bus?" asked the lad.

"Any bus," replied Mrs. Jones. "It's me husband's lunch, and he works in the lost property office."

Reverse Charges

Mrs. Luna—I want to get a divorce.

Lawyer Habeas—What are your charges?

Mrs. Luna—Oh, I'm not going to charge anything. I'm willing to pay you to get it for me.

Why He Needed Job

"Am I bright? Why, I've won several newspaper competitions."

Prospective Employer — Yes, but I need a boy who is smart during business hours.

"Well, this was during business hours."

Right the First Time

Little Mary—I'll bet you can't guess what sister said about you just before you came in

Mr. Hidebound—I haven't a single idea, Mary.

Little Mary—Oh, you guessed it.

Old King Kong

Actually, King Kong was a miniature only 20 inches in height. His skeleton was of steel and jointed so that any part of his body could be moved. His mouth could be opened and closed, his eyes could be made to blink and his flesh, which was rubber, was covered with rabbits' fur.

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STAR DUST

MOVIE AND RADIO

BY VIRGINIA VALE

JOE E. BROWN has been having a grand time for himself lately. With his latest picture, "Earthworm Tractor," welcomed by the public as one of the funniest he's ever made, he started off on a vacation.

Being a rabid baseball fan, he took in a few games when he reached the East enroute to Europe. In New York he went to a double-header between the Yankees and the St. Louis Browns, and presented to that sensational new Yankee outfielder, Joe DiMaggio, the award for being the most valuable player in the Coast league in 1935. The crowds cheered both Joes to the skies.

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William Powell has sold his ornate home with the gold door knobs and is living in simpler quarters. Those rumors of a romance between him and Jean Harlow still persist — but apparently everybody who's unattached wants to marry him nowadays, and that includes girls who've never even seen him, except on the screen. Incidentally, Powell is regarded by actors everywhere as one of the most skillful and talented members of the profession—a tribute which is justly deserved.

William Powell

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Bob Burns (don't tell me you haven't heard him and his bazooka on the Bing Crosby broadcasts!) is having honors heaped upon him. He worked in "Rhythm on the Range" with Bing, so the picture's premiere was staged in Little Rock, Ark., because Bob hails from the Ozarks.

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Cowboys have for years been known as devoted fans when Western pictures are shown, a fact which puzzled one motion picture executive so much that he questioned some of them about it. He wanted to know whether they went because the pictures were so much like their own life, or for some other reason.

"Oh, no, they ain't like our life at all," one of them explained. "We go because maybe we think that's the way other cowboys go oh."

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Twentieth Century-Fox is hoping that Simone Simon, a French girl, will become as popular as Garbo and Dietrich, judging by the tales that float about. Of course, that may be denied—when Marlene came to the United States there were assurances that nobody had any idea of making her a competitor of Garbo's—oh, not at all! You will see this new foreign importation in "Girls' Dormitory," with Ruth Chatterton and Herbert Marshall.

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ODDS AND ENDS . . . Remember "Baby Peggy"? She's a big girl now, making a screen come-back under her whole name, Margaret Montgomery, and you'll see her in a small part in "Girls' Dormitory" . . . Ginger Rogers had a birthday party recently, with tiny dancing figures representing herself and Fred Astaire on top of the cake . . . When "Swing Time" is finished Fred will go to England with his wife and son for a vacation, and Ginger hopes to take a vacation in Hawaii before starting "Mother Carey's Chickens" . . . It looks as if that $5,000,000 suit which Paramount has brought against Samuel Goldwyn for signing Gary Cooper must possibly be a publicity stunt . . . Surely Gary can sign with anybody he wants to when his present contract expires . . . The Tower of London was the scene of the pre-view of "Nine Days a Queen," an English picture based on the story of Lady Jane Grey.

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Chic, Cool Frock Gives Sleek Effect

There is nothing smarter for cool summer wear than silk linen, novelty crepe, dotted swiss, or printed silks, especially when fashioned into a slim and trim model like this stunning design.

Who isn't excited about the new wider shoulder width that tends to slenderize the waistline and a pattern that goes together as quickly as a slide fastener. Note the unusual bodice lines, the panel extending to the hem, and the kick pleats that contribute dash and ease. The natty turn-down collar affords versatility and this is where your discriminating taste becomes apparent. It's an opportunity to show the "earmarks" of your creative ingenuity and personality. The cost is small, yardage scant, the effect superb, and sewing simple. Send for this gorgeous frock now.

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Whims of Fashion

Linens for town wear are invading the shop windows.

Black accents with white or pastel costumes are chic.

Lingerie neck-to-hemline lingerie panels are sold in neckwear section.

Few millinery styles have caught on as rapidly as the East's Dutch bonnet vogue.

Black, brown and wine blouses with white suits are favored combinations with eastern girls.

New chiffon sunshades are trimmed with flowers and butterflies worked in colored wools.

Iceland blue, a soft blend of blue, green and gray, will be among distinctive fall colors.

Morocco leather belts with zippers hidden inside, are being offered for the storage of small articles.

Butterflies and Flowers

Pattern 1084

A crochet hook, some string and this simple pattern are all one needs to turn out this lovely patterning of butterflies and flowers—a charming contrast of solid crochet and airy stitch. Get busy on a set!

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Use of Talents

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Shark Fishing

Norwegian fishermen report that shark fishing off the Shetland Islands is now more profitable than trawling. They say that this season they have been able to make catches worth $3,500 to $4,000 in a few days. Large galvanized iron swivel hooks 50 fathoms apart on stout lines are baited with haddocks. The sharks, from 10 to 14 feet long, are hauled aboard by means of derricks. Every part of the fish is used, flesh being salted for food and skin preserved as fine leather. While the shark lines are in the sea the fishermen shoot dolphins, which are used as food on silver fox farms.

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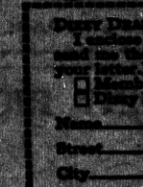

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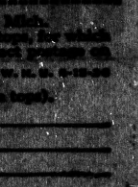

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STEVENS IN SENATE RACE

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boy to New England and then to New York state where he engaged in farming for some time before he became employed in industry and migrated to the West.

Employed at the Smelter

For thepast seven years he has been employed by the American Smelting and Refining Company at Selby as a wage earner as is shown in his elevation to the presidency of the Carquinez Local No. 51 of the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers.

Endorsed by Organized Labor

Mr. Stevens has entered the campaign with the full endorsement of organized labor, and also numbers representatives of many other fields among his supporters. Politically he is a Democrat and an ardent supporter of president Roosevelt. This is his first campaign for public office, although he has been a worker for his party for several years.

Problems of the Farm

Because of his background of farm experience, Mr. Stevens declares he is heartily in accord with President Roosevelt's farm program. He declares in favor of protecting industry from cut-throat competition and the enactment of regulations that will fully protect the independent merchant and industrialist from unfair competition from monopolies.

HURLEY, CANDIDATE FOR ASSEMBLY ON DEMOCRAT TICKET GIVES REASONS WHY HE BELIEVES HE SHOULD BE ELECTED

The current political lullaby under the 'nom de plume' of CAMPAIGN reminds one of a song without words. Thus far, the music has been soothing but we think said strains are in great need of a lyric.

I, Daniel F. Hurley, as a candidate for the assembly from the tenth assembly district, cling to the political doctrine that one party, and one party only, is sufficient for our candidate. It is truly amazig how many 'renovated Republicans' have become overnight Democrats.Now this isn't so much the fault of the Republicans as it is the 'puddy Politics of those who join parties for votes only.

May I. at this time take this means of declaring my political party. I am a Democrat and the only unadulterated Democrat on the ballot.

When other candidates rush about the county telling the people that they are the one, only, and original supporter of labor, of old age pensions, the protector of the under-privileged, one wonders how much thought they gave to those matters before they got idea to run for office. As a graduate of St. Mary's College in Contra Costa County, holder of a degree of political science from the University of California, I have studied the theory of economics and government. As a blind person, asking for an opportunity to use my studies who shall, say that I do not know at first hand, the problems of the under-privileged?

I am in the position similar to applying for a job and asking you, the public to be my references.

Can I overcome the handicap of blindness? I ask you, is it entirely a handicap? Was Edison's deafness a handicap to his career as the great inventor? In the State Library at Sacramento are thousands of volumes, printed in Braille which I can read as fast and accurately as you can read your daily paper.Of course. I can't read "True Confessions" right off the page, but do you care?

I earned my way through St. Mary's College as athletic trainer for the various teams for a period of three years. I have made a special study of physical culture.I took all my examinations on the typewriter.

Two of the best legislators at Sacramento today are blind men, one Mr. Slader of Santa Rosa is the dean of the legislature.

You will make no mistake by voting for me for the Assembly.

DANIEL F. HURLEY

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Atchison, Topeka, and Santa Fe Railway today announced the following promotions and changes in personel:

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Paul P. Hastings, former general freight agent, to be Assistant Freight Traffic Manager.

H. C. Vincent, Division Freight and Pasenger Agent, Stockton, becomes Assistant General Passenger agent with headquarters in Los Angeles. L. O. Krames, formerly Division Freight and Passenger Agent at Portland, Oregon, succeeds Mr. Vincent at Stockton.

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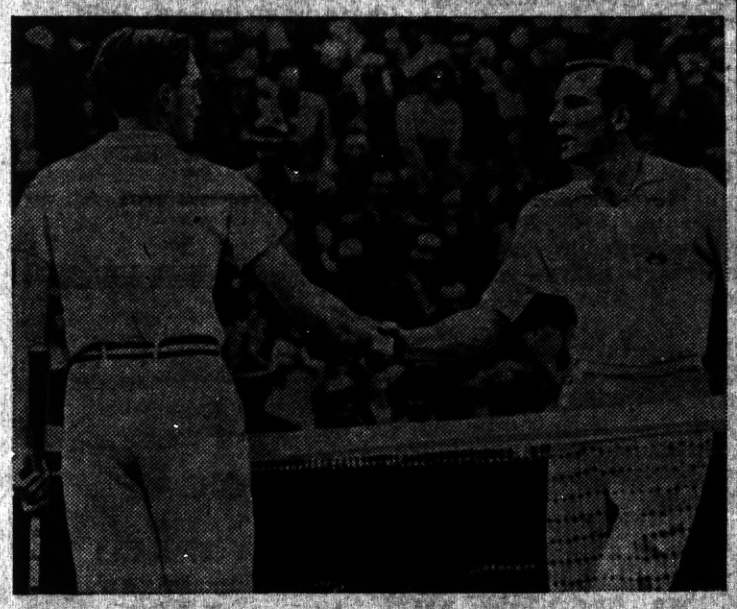
Speed Work on Mississippi Navigation Dam

One-third of the great navigation dam across the Mississippi river at Alton, Ill., has been completed and work on the remaining section of this the longest and highest of the 26 dams projected to aid navigation on the Mississippi between here and St. Paul, Minn., is progressing swiftly. The dam's 30 gates will be the largest of their type in the world. The dam proper will be 1,724 feet long in addition to the width of an already completed lock on the Alton shore.

"I Christen Thee McDougal"

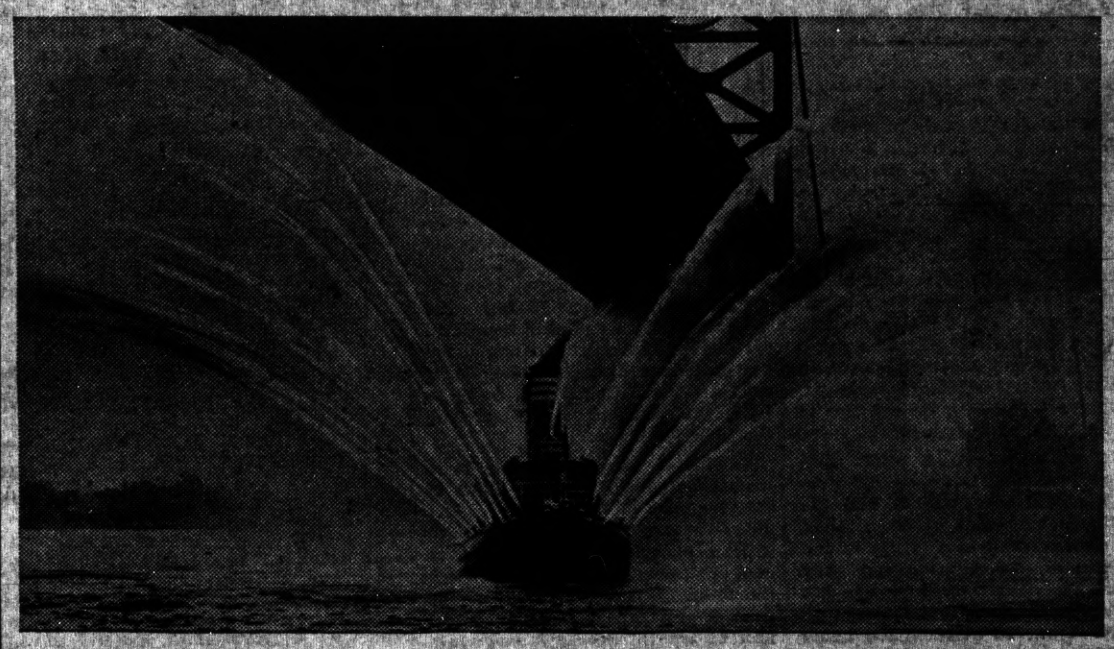
Miss Caroline McDougal Neilson, of Springfield, Mass., shown about to smash a bottle across the bows of the U. S. S. McDougal, 1,850-ton destroyer, launched in a shipyards at Camden, N. J. Miss Neilson is a great-granddaughter of the late Rear Admiral David Stockton McDougal, after whom the vessel is named.

Perry Is Tennis Champ for Third Time



Wimbledon, England.—Baron Gottfried von Cramm of Germany (left) congratulates Fred Perry of England, who defeated him in straight sets to win the men's singles at Wimbledon for the third successive year. The German, however, injured a thigh muscle in the first set, and was unable to play his best.

Patrol Boat Demonstrates Fire Fighting Power



There was no fire to be put out, so this fire patrol boat of the Philadelphia fire fighting force went out on the Delaware river to show what it would do if there was a fire on both sides. The result was an interesting and unusual camera study.

1936 Grand Circuit Season Opens in East

Trotters swing into the stretch with their smooth stride eating up the ground during the running of a heat in the Rio Grande trophy race, one of the events at the opening of the Grand Circuit Meeting at Goshen, N. Y.

Bursting Water Main Floods Station

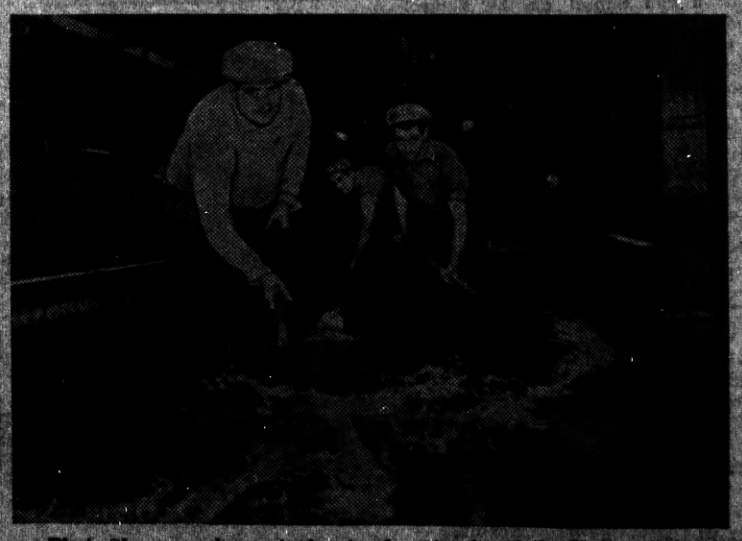


Photo shows workmen trying to clear tracks at the Union station in Chicago of a flood estimated at three to ten feet deep. A 36 inch water main burst putting 14 railroad tracks out of commission. The water also flooded portions of the new postoffice. Passengers from suburban trains were forced to alight from inbound trains about five blocks from the station. Damage was estimated at $200,000.

PROGRESS SPORTS

News of the Sport World, Mostly Local, in "The Friendly Newspaper That Dares To Tell The Truth"

Hugh Bradley Says:

© New York Post.—WNU Service.

TIRES on those midget autos last only four miles during a race . . . Did the Giants pay $24 dividend on each share of stock last year? . . . . Jockey Sonny Workman during his recent suspension improved his time upon the golf links where he is almost as good as he is in the saddle . . . Fortune tellers probably can improve their batting averages if they give Bob Paster a high rating for 1937. The Washington Heights youngster is the most improved heavyweight of the year. . . . . His coaches say that sixteen-year-old Bob Sandback, kid brother of the Princeton star, will be even better than Ken.

If the president of the Phils had not vetoed the deal at the last minute a Frenchy Bordagaray-Johnny Moore swap would have been made in May . . . The Giants will operate the Jersey City club as a farm when an International league franchise is moved to Hagueville next season . . . Unless thoroughbred prices are upped considerably Colonel E. R. Bradley will not take his yearlings to the Saratoga sales next month. He still is annoyed at the low receipts obtained last August . . . Charley Gehringer and Billy Herman, the game's two best second basemen, share an easily understandable weakness. Ballplayers say they do not like to be slid into with spikes.

The U. S. G. A. is sadly perturbed because of rumors concerning four-ball tournaments and the auction pools which so often make them more than interesting to the performers. These pools—you buy tickets on teams you think are hot—often are worth from $1,000 to $3,000. That, so evil-tongued gents snicker, is enough sugar to bring the racketeers in so that they can arrange such "amateur" golf matches to suit their own high purposes . . . Hun school, right there in the shadow of Princeton's famed Gothic towers, will have five regulars (Elverson, McNamara, Ober, Micheau and Shinn) on the Penn varsity next fall. . . . Don Lash, the runner, earns his way through college by mopping up floors in the dormitory at Indiana university . . . Ivy Wilson, the very good twenty-four-year-old girl athlete from the Mercury A. C., makes dolls' wigs when not winning 50-meter championships.

Landis Irks Scribe By Talking Golf

A veteran reporter is very indignant because he had to wait fifteen minutes in Boston before getting some All-Star game information from Judge Landis. It seems that baseball's high commissioner was spending some time in entertaining his audience of club owners with lighthearted comment concerning his golf scores.

Judge Landis

Could it be true the New York racing commission now has planted dictaphones in the betting ring and other gossip juicy sections of local tracks? Or are naughty boys just blaspheming when they whisper that this cunning device, which was tried out last winter by Florida and Don Meade, produced a carload of worthless chitchat when secreted in the Aqueduct jockey room during the recent meeting?

There is more than a chance that the Ivy league, which now protects the more holy colleges from rude beatings in basketball and baseball, will also provide the same smooth gridiron guardianship in 1938 . . . Although he is a motorboat enthusiast, John D. Spreckels, millionaire horse owner from the West, believes in keeping aquatic sports in their proper place. He has no liking for the regattas which are becoming so popular with the regatta committees at too many Eastern racetracks . . . Another effort may be made next winter to put the Cards in Detroit and leave St. Louis as a one-club (American League variety) town . . . If Joe Louis can score a decisive victory over Al Ettore there need be little doubt about the Brown Bomber having the proper comeback ammunition.

Although he can take the walls of disappointed fans as well as he can give his money to Connie Mack, there is one rift in Tom Yawkey's serenity. The owner of the Red (and frequently) Socked Boston team has been hearing the whispers of his mates among the magnates. They refer to the youthful business man a. a "Sap" and a "Sucker," which is rather hard to take considering all he has done for them . . . Each member of that great Husky crew is a native of the state of Washington, is working his way through college and never handled a racing sweep until his freshman year . . . Winsett, the big outfielder listed for the Dodgers, is a good hitter. That is, he is until the pitchers start throwing too close to him.

A Finnish vapor bath has been installed in the Olympic village at the request of Helsingfors . . . The bath was placed on the edge of a lake because the Finns like to cool off with a cold plunge after the baths . . . Paul Waner of the Pirates still uses a bat, now taped half its length to keep it from falling apart, that he borrowed during the 1934 All-Star game in New York.

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LOUIS E. DAVIS
Candidate For Republican and Democratic Nomination as
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Madison Square Bouts Thrill Fight Fans

By Frankie Neil
Former World's Champion Of The Bantamweights

In the opener Jimmie Lucino, 130, from San Jose, and Jl Hernandez, 132, from Pittsburg, did the best they could for four rounds. A draw. One was afraid and the other did not know how.

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Jess Gonzalves, 145, from Oakland, and Bob Watkins, 145, of Richmond....Gonzalves got the decision and it was a swell go. Mostly aeroplane swinging.

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Next go between Walter Del Carlo, 118, from Oakland and Jimmy Marlice, 118, of Oakland. Boy, was this a battle? They put every bit they had into it, and they had plenty. A TKO in the third round for Del Carlo. Marlice was all in.

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George Thurston, University welterweight, and Ray Rinhold, from San Francisco got in and mixed it, and the university lad won on a TKO in the second round.

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Then Phil McMillan, 113, Berkeley, met Johnny Melin, from the Moose Club in Oakland, 113. Stopped as the boxers were sitting in their corners to come out for the second round. McMillan was too much for Melin.

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Frank Belloni, 145-lb. boy from Pittsburg, and Buddy Zapacosta, 145, San Jose. Zappa skinned the baloney in the first round and it was all over. TKO in the 1st round.

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Joe Garcia, Pinole welterweight, and Faidy Booker, of San Jose. All Faidy did was to stand there and take 'em in the midriff until the four rounds were over. Decision to Garcia.

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Kearney Tobe, 148, of San Francisco, and Dick Bowen, 149, San Jose. Tobe was managed by "Hippo" Burns, massive colored chap from San Francisco. Tobe was down in the third after a fine right cross landed on his chin but he got up and stayed the bout out. The judges gave it a draw. I think it could have been Bowen's fight.

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No. 793

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FRANK BANDUCCI, 125 Enterprise Avenue, Richmond, California.

JAMES WRIGHT, 1121 Roosevelt Avenue, Richmond, California.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands this 5th day of August A. D. 1936.

FRANK BANDUCCI
JAMES WRIGHT

State of California, County of Contra Costa.—ss.

On this 5th day of August in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-six, before me, A. A. Alstrom, a Notary Public, in and for the County of Contra Costa, personally appeared Frank Banducci and James Wright, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and they duly ackowledged to me that they executed the same.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at my office in the County of Contra Costa, the day and year in tihs certificate, first above written.

(Seal) A. A. ALSTROM,
Notary Public, in and for the County of Contra Costa, State of California. (My commission expires March 4, 1940.)

Endorsed: Filed August 10th 1936. S. C. WELLS, County Clerk. By L. GEYER, Deputy Clerk.

TOPNOTCHERS by KET

Maestro

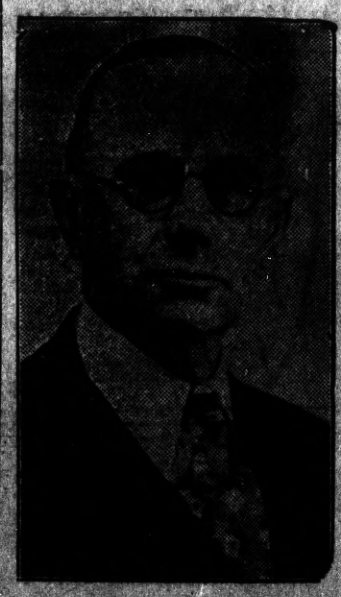
Arturo Toscanini acclaimed the greatest conductor of his time.

June 25th will mark the golden anniversary of his career, which began when he was drafted as a substitute conductor in Rio de Janeiro, 1886.

Toscanini has been conductor of the New York Philharmonic Symphony for the past ten seasons. He has announced he will retire at the close of this season.

Toscanini was born in Italy, March 25th 1867

Arturo Toscanini



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Sherlock Holmes' First Effort

Sherlock Holmes made his first bow to the public in the novel "A Study in Scarlet," published in "Beeton's Christmas Annual," in 1887

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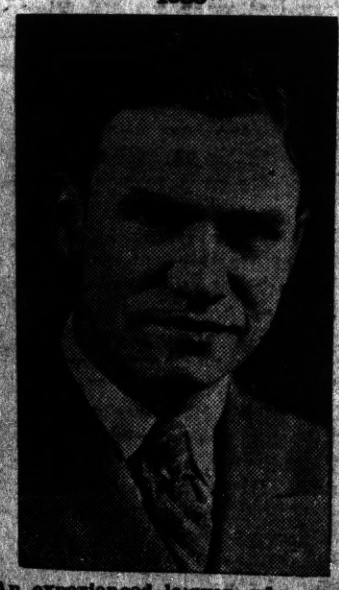

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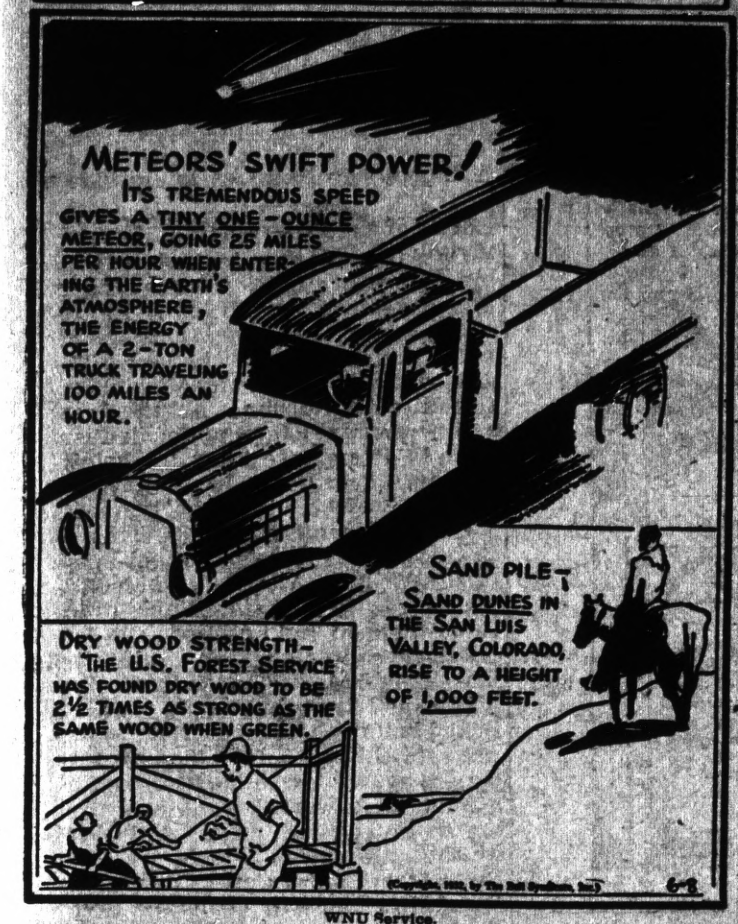

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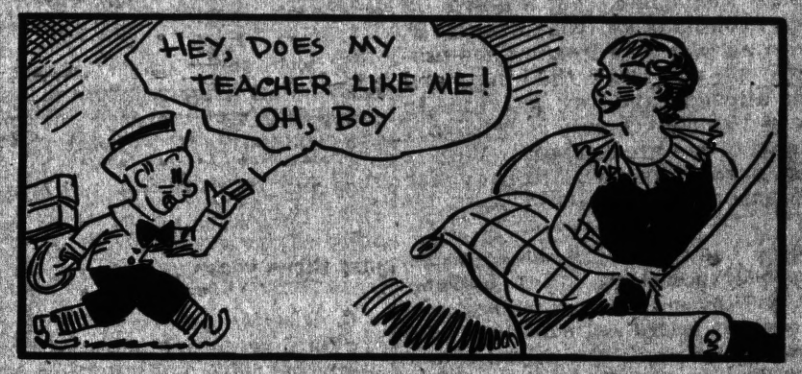

KNOW THEIR STUFF

He—I'm thinking of locating in this section and the real estate man says you never see a mosquito here.

Lady—No, indeed! They come around after dark.

The Limit

An old country woman going into a large town saw, for the first time, an electric train.

"Well," she said, in her amazement, "I've seen 'em worked by horses, and I've seen 'em run by engine, but I've never seen 'em druv by a clothes-prop before."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Coming Up

"How would you like your egg served, sir?"

"Is there any difference in price?"

"None whatever, sir."

"Then serve it on a thick slice of ham."

No Hurry

The American car was flying through the Warwickshire lanes when it pulled up with a screech of brakes opposite a gate on which was leaning an old countryman.

"Say," said the driver, "kin you tell me if I'm right for W. Shakespeare's house?"

"Yezzir," replied the countryman, "but there's no need to hurry—he's been dead some years."—Tit-Bits Magazine.

Seemed to Fit

Policeman (to motorist)—Why didn't you slow down? Didn't you see the notice: Slow Down Here?

Motorist—Yes, but I thought it was describing your village.—Stray Stories Magazine.

INDUCEMENT

Eve—I need some new clothes.

Adam—Wait until fall and then you can get some of brilliant colors, when the leaves begin to turn.

Modesty Preserved

Mrs. Blurb—They say that veils for women are coming in style. I wonder why that is?

Mr. Blurb—I understand the women are ashamed to show their faces when they go out wearing those clothes that they wear now.—Stray Stories Magazine.

Barefooted

Small Charlotte and her father were riding on a bus when a man in the seat in front of them took off his hat, revealing a very bald head.

"Oh look, daddy," said the child in a shrill voice, "that man's head is barefooted!"—Indianapolis News.

HIS HABIT

Mrs. Owl—So, you've been making a day of it again.

Events in the Lives of Little Men

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A GOOD DISTRICT ATTORNEY

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whom we believe amply capable of conducting any raids that are necessary. The only cooperation to be desired between the Sheriff's office and the District Attorney's office is: that a raid, when once started, should be armor-proof as to evidence so that the D. A. has a reasonable chance to secure a conviction, if that is what the people of El Cerrito or of Contra Costa want.

In the meantime, put it down in your book of facts that Francis P. Healey as District Attorney has prosecuted the dog track, the bingo, and other alleged gambling activities in a very vigorous manner seemingly unknow to his predecessors. We say he is a good District Attorney for that reason.

Contra Costa County produced 60,288 automobiles through the Ford assembly plant at Richmond during the last year. The company loaded and unloaded 10,000 railroad freight cars.....The payroll is over $2,500,000 a year.....It was the county's natural advantages, plus man's planning, that attracted this giant industry, says P. M. Sanford of Richmond, chairman of the board of the Contra Costa County Development Association.

COUNTY DADS BOOST SALARIES

(Continued from Front Page)

To find out the amount that salaries and expense- accounts have actually been increased by Ordinance No. 243 is not an easy matter even when every jot and tittle of the document is placed under almost microscopic examination—it would really take a crew of G-Men to find out exactly what has happened, how much salaries have been boosted. However, we did do this: we took down our dusty, but thumb-worn copy of a 1932-33 County Financial Statement for purpose of comparing the figures for then and now. After a couple of hours we arrived at the following generalized totals, which we will take up in the numerical order as appears in Ordinance No. 243:

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1. County Clerk—Salary to be $4,375.00 per year, allowed a total of $20,300.00 to take care of entire office salary expense. This compares favorably with the $20,907.55 of the 1932-1933 Financial Report.

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2. Auditor—Office salary total allowed for '32-'33 was $15,750; under Ord. 243 also $15,750.00 but there is no ruling on the Auditor's salary. Surely Mr. Teeter is not expected to work for nothing.

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3. Treasurer— Treasurer's salary $3,500.00. Total office salaries are $7,400.00, up $1,000. over '32-'33.

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4. Assessor— $5,000-a-year-man, with total office salary expense of $26,460.00 and increase of nearly $10,000.00 over 32-33 total of$17,160.

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5. Tax Collector—$3,500.00 salary and $17,750.00 compared with total office salary expense of $13,720.00 just three years ago.

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6. District Attorney— Office salary total proposed of $20,050.00 as compared with $23,601.73 in '32 began to look favorable until we noticed that Mr. Healey's salary had not been noted in the Ordinace. Are he and Mr. Teeter supposed to work for nothing?

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7. Coroner— Same as before. One advantage in having a successful professional man in this office—he does not have to be worrying all the time about his salary raise.

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8. Surveyor—$5,000.00 salary for the Chief. Office salary total has jumped up 237 per cent, or a total of $33,782.00 as compared with only $14,100.00 in 1932-1933 report.

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9. Justices of the Peace— Hard to compare this office with 1932 which shows $4,200.00 total office salaries in 15th township. Judge Moore will get $306.00 per month plus 20 per cent aditional for expenses, when, as ad if used.

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10. Sheriff— New ordinance provides $5,000.00 for the sheriff's salary, $38,570.00 for total sararies expense. (Was $36,663.20 in '32-'33.

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11. Constables— Salary will be $1,900.00 per year plus 25 per cent.

12. Recorder— Same as three years ago, total office salary expense of $18,500.00 Mr. Cunningham's salary will be $3,500.00. Hey, Jim, whazzamat, Jim, our Richmond tax-eaters don't seem to be in on the big increases?

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15. Sealer of Weights and Measures— Same total as before, $4,200.

16. Agricultural Commissioner— $2,700 salary, total of $12,500 as compared with $12,567.95 three long years ago.

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17. Probation Officer— $2,700.00 salary, total $5,900.00, up 32 per cent over three years ago.

18. Superintendent of Schools— $17,466.20 total for salaries, up 11.2 per cent over $15,800.00 in 1932-33. Mr. Wilson's salary will be $5,000.00 which compares favorably with university presidents in other parts of the country.

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19. County Librarian— $2,700.00 as before. Total salaries only about $2,919.35 in '32. That is refreshing.

20. Supervisors— The county dads did NOT increase their own salaries, of course. Unselfishly contented themselves with 25 per cent of their monthly salary for expense account, $300.00 mileage for their automobiles.

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21. Bonds— To be paid out of the general fund.

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22. Expenses— This paragraph takes care of any expenses for any or all employees that might have been otherwise overlooked, mileage for auto travel at 6 1-2 cents per mile.

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23. How Paid— Naturally there is no sense in voting salary boosts unless plans are completed for paying out the county's money.

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Voice of the People

A Republican Indulges in Optimism

Editor of the Progress:

Oakland reverberated today to the opening peal of the political tocsin that has started the Grand Old Party over the top; and which may culminate in victory 4 months hence. The great luncheon and rally at the Scottish Rite Auditorium. All the great and near-great adherents of GOPism were in attendance. After Joe Knowland introduced Mrs. Joe Hellman of Colorado, president of the Women's National Committee, and a few of the others, the so-called wheel-horse of the Modern G. O. P— John D.—Hamilton—in his inimitable voice came forward and outlined the Republican campaign. He said the main trouble has been that all Republicans have been feeling they are licked before they get started. Hammy said this might not be so—anyway, why not try to buck up and be a man—or a woman—and other remarks considered witty—& TRITE by the Assembled Hosts. Among those from Contra Costa County was the stalwart Sheriff Veale and Company—etc.,

OLD JAYHAWK

(Ed.—In discussing Governor Landon as a "liberal" presidential candidate, our correspondent does not inform us as to whether Hammy gave the liberal record of Landon in Kansas— no social security legislation at all; average old age relief $5.30 per month; relief for the blind $6.13 per month; law permits 14-yr. old children to work; and the budget balanced with federal and county relief funds. No, we don't imagine J. H. did much talking about records, rather about the fact that he can claim every state from Hindustan to Timbuctoo, and there will be a lot more chance of his carrying those removed places than California.

Pittsburg produces about half a million cases of fish each year through the plant of the F. E. Booth company. Much of this product is exported to the people of Germany, England, Holland, and Italy eat approximately 250,000 cases a year of this county product, says R. C. Bryce of Pittsburg, director of the Contra Costa Development Association.

AN OBJECT LESSON

When Ivar Kreuger, the Swedish Match King came over here in the Good-Old-Plunderbund days there were none to interfere with his flotation of loans on worthless securities tehre was no SEC to look into the matter, no Congressional Committee to "snoop" into his affairs.

As a consequence the American public, banks and investors, hold in claims against the Kreuger estate over $151,000,000. A settlement has been offered—$1,500,000!

And yet some banks and investors can be found who will criticise the New Deal of which SEC is a part.

Life is surely funny, sometimes.

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